

MURDER AND ARSON

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Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 5.—William Smith and wife, living near Livingston, went to church leaving two daughters 17 and 19 years of age in the house. An hour later the house was discovered to be in flames, and when the neighbors came they saw the dead bodies of the girls lying on the floor in pools of blood. The bodies were consumed. The girls had been murdered by an unknown person and the house fired.

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Tallahassee, Fla., Sept. 5.—While a gang of section men were working on the Florida & Western railway to-day twenty miles from here along the big swamp, a huge and ferocious panther leaped from a tree and struck McWilliams, knocking him flat. The rest of the hands fled, leaving McWilliams to fight alone. The contest was short and bloody. McWilliams had no weapon except a shovel and in a few moments the panther had him mangled beyond recognition. The rest of the gang secured arms and returned, but were too late as the panther had torn the arms off of the corpse and fled to the swamp. Work has been suspended on the railway, the men refusing to work.

Death From Polluted Well Water.

Dunker, Mich., Sept. 5.—Three children in the Gilsen family and Tom Johns and another farm hand named Monroe have died during the past week from drinking water out of a polluted well. Over twenty other persons are affected, half of them seriously.

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Leranos, Pa., Sept. 5.—Strikers to-night attacked and brutally beat two special officers and two non-union men at the lights rolling mill. One of the assailants was shot and a riot was started, which the whole police force had trouble in quelling.

Pipe for the Provo Waterworks.

Provo, Sept. 5.—(Special telegram to THE HERALD.)—A telegram was received here from Rhodes Bros. of Denver, to-day, stating that they had made a shipment of twenty-five carloads of pipe for the Provo waterworks, and that work would begin about September 15, at which time they would require about 150 men.

Shot in a Drunken Row.

Red Mountain, Col., Sept. 5.—(Special telegram to THE HERALD.)—Last winter William Newton broke his arm and during the summer when it had about healed he was thrown from a horse and broke it again. Several days ago he partially got it out of the sling, and this morning, being drunk, he got into a scrap with John Keown and was badly wounded by a shot from a revolver.

James Chambers Assigns.

Pittsburg, Sept. 5.—James Chambers, a prominent glass manufacturer, whose embarrassment was noted several days ago, assigned to-day. No statement.

Gertrude Potter Married.

Milwaukee, Sept. 5.—A local paper says an authorized announcement of the marriage of Gertrude Potter, of Chicago, daughter of the millionaire iron man, to F. Lee Rust, son of the wealthy Wisconsin lumberman, has been made. They were married quietly at Geneva lake, June 6, and are now in Europe. The bride gained no little notoriety on account of an early love affair with a Chicago newsboy.

Thilman Suddenly Disappears From Windsor.

Windsor, Ont., Sept. 5.—Major Ben Thilman, who is alleged to have embezzled a large sum from the Falls City bank, of Louisville, and who has been here since last Sunday, has suddenly disappeared. It is stated he has crossed the river to Detroit.

The London Press on the China Question.

LONDON, Sept. 5.—Commenting on the statement made to this city from Shanghai and purporting to give the views of the educated classes of the Chinese in regard to withdrawing foreign missions from Chinese territory, which, it is claimed, have utterly failed in the objects they were intended to accomplish and only tend to foment revolt, the Times to-day says: "The lesson to be drawn is that liberal treatment of China is useless. Europe should inflexibly and sternly insist upon the observance of treaty rights and thus avoid irritating, (they may say) displays."

The Morning Advertiser says: "A nation (China) which occupies towards foreigners such an intellectual standard as this can hardly be brought to a desirable frame of mind by diplomatic remonstrances."

The paper expresses the opinion that: "It is evident equally from the inherent strength of the Chinese as from their manifest weakness, that a trifling policy is the worst that can be adopted. Europe must prepare either to enforce or to renounce her treaty rights."

Baseball Percent.

CHICAGO, Sept. 5.—The following are the baseball percents:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	Per cent.
Chicago	.575
Boston	.573
New York	.569
Pittsburgh	.568
Cleveland	.567
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St. Louis	.563
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Athletics	.561
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East Indian Crop Prospects Improved.

CALCUTTA, Sept. 5.—Dispatches from Simla announce the agricultural prospects generally have taken a turn for the better and the affected districts of Madras and Hyderabad are also improving.

George B. Loring Seriously Ill.

BOSTON, Sept. 5.—George B. Loring, ex-United States minister to Portugal, has been suddenly attacked with serious illness. His symptoms are those of inflammation of the bowels.

Mittie to Sue for Services Rendered.

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California Wheat Shipments.

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Sheephead Bar Races.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 5.—The track was slow. Mile and seventy yards—Outcry won, Tenacity second, Billy Pinkerton third. Time—1:56.

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Mile and three-quarters—Reckon won, Bernadine second, John Cavanaugh third. Time—3:07.3.

Mile and a furlong—Mabel Glenn won, Woodcuter second, Tulla Blackburn third. Time—1:58.

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Homer won, Banquet second, Virgo third. Time—3:25.

Mile and a half—St. Luke won, Eric second, Carroll third. Time—3:30.

Hawthorne Park Races.

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Six furlongs—Geraldine won, Helter Skelter second, Tom Karl third. Time—1:57.

Handicap, mile and one-sixteenth—

Brookwood won, Rival second, Gifford third. Time—1:51.4.

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Baseball.

NATIONAL LEAGUE—PITTSBURG. Pittsburgh, 3; Brooklyn, 3. Batteries: King, Miller; Inks, Daly. Five innings; rain.

Second game—Pittsburg, 11; Brooklyn, 7.

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CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati, 3; Philadelphia, 5. Batteries: Rhines, Harrington; Gleason, Clements. Twelve innings.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, 2; Boston, 3. Batteries: Gumbert, Merritt; Staley, Geuzel.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION—BOSTON.

Boston-St. Louis game postponed; rain. WASHINGTON. Washington, 15; Columbus, 8. Second game—Washington, 5; Columbus, 6. Called at the end of the eighth; darkness.

PHILADELPHIA.

Athletics, 4; Milwaukee, 2. Second game—Athletics, 5; Milwaukee, 1. Baltimore, 6; Louisville, 3. Called at the end of the eighth; darkness.

KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City, 7; Denver, 8. ST. LOUIS CITY, 6; Omaha, 0.

Lost Her Mate and Steward Overboard.

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